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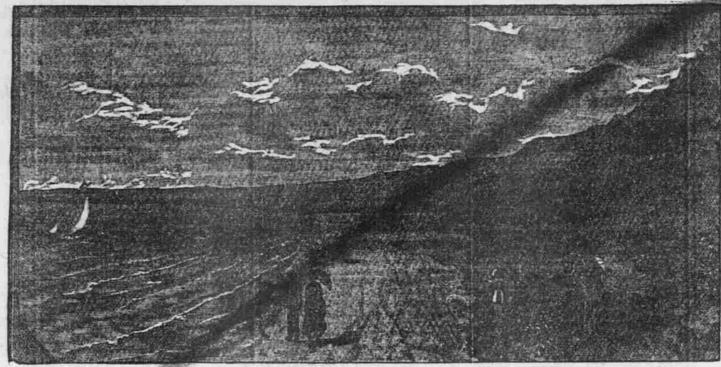
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This drive will, for natural beauty, be without a rival on this continent. It will make Port Aransas Cliffs a Southern Newport and Long Branch.

Three grand Boulevards are to be laid out upon the Cliffs, each 200 feet wide and having two roadways, with a shaded esplanade between. A handsome Hotel with every modern convenience will be erected.

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Do not get the idea that the summer climate here is intolerably hot. That is a great mistake. The cooling Trade Winds blow in fresh from the Gulf all summer long and make Corpus Christi cooler during a hot spell than New York or Saratoga. The thermometer has never gone higher than \$25° upon the Port Aransas Cliffs. This seems to wonderful to be true, but it is true! The U. S. Signal Service station is located on the beach, under the Bluff, where it is several degrees warmer than upon the Bluff. This is the official record for hot months of 1889:

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The warmest time of every day is before 9 a. m. These figures show the thermometer as it stood for only a few minutes, before the Trade Winds came up. After 9 a. m. the days are always several degrees cooler.

If the Signal Service station had been on top of the Bluff, where the future city will be built, it would show several degrees less heat than even this. Do you know of any Northern city where the thermometer never shows a

greater heat than this? We are now prepared to offer some of the finest farm and garden lands in the world, to actual settlers, on small payments and ten years' time.

The Growing Sesson is 10 months long every year, and some years 12 months long.

The Soil is rich fertile, generous. Fertilizers are not needed. Rainfall is ample and comes at the right time.

Three Crops are often produced in a single year from the same land. Vegetables are taken out of the ground every month in the year.

A White Man can work in the field every day all summer. The fresh, salty sea breeze makes it often from 10 to 20 deg. cooler here during the summer weather, than it is 200 miles inland. Cattle do not require housing and feeding here four or five months as at the North but get their own living the year round-an enormous item of saving to the farmer.

We Grow peaches, plums, melons, grapes, figs, pears, peas, beans, asparagus,

celery, potatoes, sugar, sorghum, cotton, corn, hay, tobacco-- and just everything

else which grows out of the earth. We Ship vegetables all winter long as far north as Denver. We Get good prices for them. FARMING HERE PAYS.

 Our farmers often take enough crop from one sore to buy ten sore! outright at present prices. Can that be beaten anywhere? . . .

TERMS FOR FARM LANDS. For the first fifty farms of 40 acres we offer the following EASY TERMS: Cash down \$100. The entire balance on ten year's credit. PRICE according to location and distance from depots. MANUFACTURES.

We offer especial attractions for the following industries: Beef Packing, Beef Refrigerating, Tanneries, Saddlerles, Boot and Shoe Factories, Oil Mill, Cotton Mul, Paper Mill. Woolen Mill, Flouring Mill. Correspondence invited.

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MINISTERS TURN.

Three Divines Leave the Reformed for the Protestant Episcopal Church-

Special to the Gazette.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., May 25 .- A sensation has been created in religious circles here by the withdrawal of three prominent ministers of the Reformed church within four days of each other from the fold of that communion in order to connect themselves with the Protestant Episcopal church. The reformed denomination is greatly in the ascendant in this part of Pennsylvania. On Thursday of last week Rev. M. W. Christian announced to his congregation his intention to go from the Reformed to the Episcopal ministry, and the maxt day Rev. James Werner declared a like purpose. On Sunday, however, church people were astounded when at the conclusion of his morning sermon Rev. E. A. Gornant, a brilliant divine who has served for nine years as paster of Zion church, presented his resignation and explained that his religious convictions had undergone a change which compelled him reluctantly to sever his connection with the Zion church and the reformed classes. He added that he would preach his farewell sermon on the following Sanday, when he would give a detailed statecircles here by the preach his farewell sermed on detailed state-sunday, when he would give a detailed state-ment of the motives which led him to make the ment of the motives which led him to make the change. His congregation seemed thunderstruck. Many of them wept and others were otherwise visibly affected. The consistory of the church on Monday evening accepted the resignation in good spirit and Lehigh classes in session on Tuesday confirmed this action and formerly dissolved Rev. Mr. Gornant's relations with his flock. This moraing the promised farewell seemon and explanatory statement were listened to with tearful eyes by his congregation. The retiring pastor said that the gradual but fundamental modification of his religious opinions had forced him to adopt the Episcopal doctrines. He will at once ally himself with the Philadelphia diocese and place himself at the disposal of the bishop for missionary work. It is said here that several other reformed ministers of Lehigh classes are likewise contemplating change of alignment, kewise contemplating change of alignment will announce themselves in a few days.

WISE COUNTY.

It Instructs for Hogg and Opposes Everything Not in Favor of a Commission-

Special to the Gazette. DECATUR, TEX., May 25 .- The county Democratic convention to elect delegates to the stat, cratic convention to elect delegates to the state convention was called to order by the county chairman, D. A. Holman, promptly at 1 o'clock yesterday. Mr. B. Morris of Rhome and J. J. Terrell of Decatur were elected temporary chairman and accretary by acclamation. The chair appointed G. B. Pickett, A. J. Jones and J. J. Lillard a committee on credentials and basis of representation, who went to the committee room to make report, and Hon. R. E. Carswell being called adversard the convention, amouncing himself for seed the convention, announcing himself for senate. His speech was well received and the senate. His speech was well received and
the county will insist that she is entitled to
name him as the Democratic candidate for senator of the district. The credential committee reported, and then the chair appointed a committee of five on permanent organization, which reported by its chairman, J. F. Johnston, recommending that Mr. Morris and Mr. Terreil be
permanent officers, which report was approved
by unanimous vote.

The chair appointed a committee of five on
resolutions and platform who made the following report:

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Hon. Ben. Morris, chairman—Your committee on platform and resolutions beg leave to make report as follows:

1. Be it resolved, by the Democracif of Wise county, in convention assembled, that we reaffirm and indorse the state and nathual Democratic platforms; that we are in favored; the proposed amendment to the state constitution, previding for a railway commission.

2. Resolved, that we endorse the administration of Hon. James S. Hogg as attorney general and Hon. L. B. Ross as governor, and that the defeates sent from this convention to the Sar Antonio convention in August to cast the vote of this county for Jim Hogg for governor so long as the same is before the convention, and to use all homorable means to secure his auministion.

3. Lessolved, that our delegates to the state convention are instructed to vate for no man for a state office who does not favor a railway commission.

4. That it is the sense of this convention that the attempt to form class clubs and combinations for political effect, such as the Waro, and
bullas commercial clubs, is undemocratic and
subversive of the time-honored principles of
Democracy, and should be spurmed by the Democracy of Texas.

5. That it is the sense of this convention that

Wise county should be accorded the right to nominate the Democratic candidate for state senator from this district, and that other coun-ties of the district should concede to this county the courtesy to name the man for the place; and be it further resolved that we endorse R. E. Carawell as our choice for the position and respectfully sak the Democracy of the district to support him for sensior to represent this

district in the next legislature.

A motion that each voting precinct select a member of a committee to nominate delegates to the state convention carried. The committee was formed and made report, which was adopted,

was follows:
Decatur—G. M. McSpadden, J. S. Fox, D.
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J. J. McMurray, D. A. Holman, W. D. Gose,
J. T. Johnson, J. F. Johnston, J. W. Sewell, C.
H. Miller, S. G. Tankeraley, J. J. Terrell, B.
A. Lällard, W. H. Bullock, A. S. McMorries, J.
A. Weakley, J. W. Sparrow, H. T. Harvey,
Jno. R. Ray, G. H. Blewett, H. Prince, Sam G.
Kendall, H. F. Hawkins, C. J. Crabb, IraLong, O. G. Joy, A. S. Doss, L. K. Pounds, M.
W. Shoemaker.
Audubon—J. C. Chance. W. Shoemaker.
Audubou-J. C. Chance,
Crafton-J. W. Fulghum,
Satterwhite, N. L. Davis.
Paradise-A. J. Jones, J. Lynch, J. N. Gibson, A. B. Mullins, J. E. Simmons, Henry

Jackson.
Autora—G. W. Short, C. C. Loenard, J. H. Killough, L. P. Lowry, J. D. Burch, A. J. Mann, D. Beachamp.
Cottondale—B. F. Banks, J. W. Patterson, S. O. Davis, J. L. Baines.
Draco—L. S. Slover, B. C. Allgood, W. J. Mann, Joe McElhaney.
Willow Point—W. F. Greenfield, Joe Roth, T. P. Hunter. F. Hunter.

Bridgeport—J. G. Poindexter, S. F. Perry, P.

Bridgeport—J. G. Poindexter, S. F. Perry, P. W. Tannell, W. W. Cannon. Chico-C. B. Woods, G. W. Yealdy, S. A. Keen.
Alvord—R. P. Webb, J. J. Barnett, J. M. Spencer, W. P. Wright.
Booneville—G. E. Miller, W. A. Shawa, John Whittaker, T. H. Alexander.
Beasley—Wm. Morgan.
Greenwood—Elbert Williams, E. J. Brown, Jno. Williams, Tom Milliams, D. H. Bishop.
Rhome—B. Morris, B. C. Rhome, C. P. Harrison.
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Resolution passed as follows: Resolved, that should the necessity arise in the judgment of the county chairman, he is re-quested to call a convention or primary election to nominate a county ticket as he may think to the best interest of the county Democracy.

Hon. T. A. Fuller was elected chairman of the Hon. T. A. Fuller was elected chairman of the county executive committee by acclamation. On motion of T. A. Fuller the following resolution was adopted by a manimous vote:

Resolved, that we, the Democracy of the county. In convention assembled, realism our unshaken confidence in the integrity, statesmanship and pateriors of the Hon. J. W. Throatmorton that we tegret the failing condition of his health and express the hope that he may seen he restored and live long to witness the grown from the hop to witness the growning greatness of our state to which so has contributed so materially with the best above of his passing title.

No attempt was made to instruct for any other state officers.

The New Discovery.

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many we know from personal experience just how pools that it is. If you have ever tried it, you as each of its staunch friends, because the wome off thing about it is, that when once given a wear of the house. If you have never used, and hould be afficted with a cough, con or any levent, Lung or Chest trouble, see he a bottle a conce and give it a fair itsial. It is guaranted every time, or money returned. Trial Nation froe at N. E. Grammer's sung stores.

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Freight Wreck Near Dodd City.

Special to the Gazette. Donn Ciry, Tax., May 25.-A west-bound freight train was wrecked this morning early one mile east of here. The reports are meager, but we learn that five cars loaded with beer, flour and other merchandise were almost a total loss. No lives were lost nor limbs broken. The east-bound Jay-Gould-Gazerra earnon ball was delayed here until 12 noon, when the wreck was cleared

MANSFIELD KING.

THE PORT ARANSAS COMPANY also own large tracts of land upon the Gulf of Mexico, Aransas Harbor, Laguna Madre and Corpus Christi Bay.

He is Identified as the Man who Extorted \$21. 000 from a Denver Bank Cashier at the Point of a Revolver-

Sr. Louis, Mo., May 25 .- Mansfield King, the self-confessed murderer, horse theif and allround criminal, in jail at Clayton, the county seat of St. Louis county, has been identified as Wells, the Denver bank robber who compelled Cashier Moffat of the First national bank of Denver to hand over \$21,000 in cash on March 10, 1889, at the point of a revolver. H. C. Otis, assistant cashier of the bank, who was in the bank at the time the bold act was committed, arrived in this city a few days ago and went to Clayton, where Eing was lying at the point of death. Until last night King wore a full board, and long hair. When he committed the robbery he had only a small mustache, and for that reason Cashier Otis failed to identify him the first time he saw him. Last night, however, a barber was called destified the man as Wells, the noted robber. Ling was arrested some days ago for horse steal-ng by the sheriff of St. Louis county and placed King was arrested some days ago for horse stealing by the sheriff of St. Louis county and placed in jail at Clayton. After his arrest he became communicative and confessed to being the author of several crimes, one of which was the robbery at the point of a revolver of cashier Moffat. King, or Wells, entered the bank the day before the crime was committed and told Mr. Moffat that there was a scheme on foot to rob the bank which he was willing to give away for a consideration. Mr. Moffat taked with him, but told him to come back in a day or two. The next morning he went into Mr. Moffat's private office, and drawing a revolver, said to him: "Mr. Moffat, I am a desperate man. I must have money. Write a check for \$21,000 and take it over to the teller. Draw the money and come back here. If you shake the least resistance or cry for help, I II shoot you dead." The robber held the gun and looked fully as desperate as he said he was, Moffat obeyed and Wells cooly walked out of the banks with the money. Nothing more was helighed him until the arrest of Mansfeld King, who told numerous stories of his alleged crimes. numerous stories of his alleged He first said that he had He first said that he had killed a man in Ralls county, Missouri, some years ago; that he had robbed his unally stolen horses and committed all sorts of crimit, winding up his remarkable be with a confession that he was the mas who robbed the Americanter. Mr. Othe left for home hat the man it is probable he forcer bank of cials we have King to on here as soon as he is well enough to traver.

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Concerning the Bowle Convention and a Number of Et Coteres. WICHITA COUNTY WILL EXHIBIT.

Special to the Gazette. CLARENDON, TRX., May 6 .- Your correspondent learned with much pleasure that Wichita county will have exhibits at the Spring Palace. John Howard to the contrary notwithstanding. Clarendon is much elated over the result of the convention at Bowie, and will strike hands with the battalion of this great country in pur-suing the organization of permanent headquar-ters at Fort Worth.

WICEITA FALLS, TEX., May 14, 1890. To the Gazette. To the Gazette.

My attention has been called to the above article, and in justice to Mr. John Howard I desire to say that your Clarendon correspondent has done him a great injustice. One word very naturally infer from reading the above that Mr. Howard was opposed to having Wielbita county represented at the Spring Palace. The facts in the case are that Howard favored having an exhibit at Fort Worth, and has been work on the exhibit for some time. Howard measure the exhibit for some time. Howard measure to wichtia county at the Spring Palace, and but for his until ing efforts in the matter Wichita county would have mirsed the grand opportunity.

of advertising this section at the Spring Palace. The Wichita county exhibit shows for itself, and shows that the man who has charge of it has his heart in the work. There is not a man in Wichita county but what will bear me out in this statement. We feel this explanation is due Mr. Howard and his friends. Respectfully,

JOSHPH A. KEMP.

President Immigration Association.

CLARESPON Tex. May 22 1850 CLARENDON, TEX., May 23, 1890. For the Gazette. My attention was called to the above some

days since, and I have waited thus long for another to speak, as I had reasons to believe he would do.

While in Wichita Falls on the 6th inst., I heard some discussion about occurrences at the Bowie convention, etc., and on a train returning to this place, a Panhandle delegate with whom I have been somewhat familiar, brought to me a Fort Worth delegate. The two, the Fort Worth man being the principal actor, made certain representations concerning Mr. Howard, the Bowie convention, etc., which if correct, would more than juffify the communication complained of, and persistently urged and insisted that it was highly important to the success of the enterprise under discussion at Bowie and the Spring Palace for some such communications of the enterprise under discussion at Bowie and the Spring Palace for some such communications to appear next morning. After considerable hesitancy, and taking the assurances of the genor the cherrysse unoer discussion at sowie and the Spring Palace for some such communication to appear next morning. After considerable hesitancy, and taking the assurances of the gentlemen that the entire thing was 0. M and that they would assume every and all treubles and expenses of controversies and minunderstandings which might grow out of it. I permitted the Fort Worth man to prepare, and went with him to send a communication substantially the time as it appeared in This Gazerra. Now it remains for the composer of the communication to assume his burden. If he does not, and Mr. Howard and his friend wish it. I am ready to give the world the substance of the representations and all names concerned.

I was not at the time acquainted with Mr. Howard, and certainly did not aim to injure him personally. Having the him quite recently I am led to consider him quite a considerate concernant, and certainly did not aim to injure him personally. Texas siduid command for him an unbounded admits the command for him an unbounded admits the constant of the command for him an unbounded admits the constant of the command for him an unbounded admits the constant of the command for him an unbounded admits the constant of the



SCRAP ON 'CHANGE.

Sensational Personal Encounter on the New York Stock Exchange.

Special to the Gazette. New York, May 25 .- There was a brief but lively personal encounter in the stock exchange trading room on Thursday afternoon between two well-known brokers. All hands were sworn to secrecy because of the absurdly severe punishment which the governors recently meted out to Lea Schepp, who was struck in the face and got a thirty day asspension, although he was the injured party did not retalinte, and committed no violation of the stock exchange rules. But the story of Thursday's row leaked out yesterday and is said to have reached the ears of the governing committee. A. Maurice, who has an office with David Bichmond at No. 23 New street, was in the Teras and Pacific crowd of Thursday afternoon selling that stock. After he had made a sale at a certain figure Howard Lapsley of Howard Lapsley afternoon selling that stock. After he had made a sale at a certain figure Howard Lapsley of Howard Lapsley afternoon. The transage court, declared with some heat that be had made a bid of one-eighth more. Maurice, so it is said, reloined angrily, "You are a liar." Thereupon lar, Lapsley made a pass with his fist at Maurice, according to the story, and hit him lightly on the face. Friends and bysanders rushed between the combatants and the affair was ended promity. Since then filends of the combatants have been hard at sork trying to prevent the segments from hearing of 16. Mr. Lapsley is an old hid prominent members of the exchange, and was turnerly once the governors. ishment which the governors recently

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DOWN TO DEATH.

Three Hen Killed by the Collapse of an Electric Street Car Power House at Laredo-

Special to the Gazette. Lando, Tex., May 25.-Last night during a heavy thunder shower a strong gust of wind struck the power house of the electric motor street car line, causing the brick walls of the building, which was 150 feet long by fifty feet wide, to collapse, and the whole structure fell with a crash. There were four men in the building at the time, three of whom, one negro and two Mexicans, were instantly killed under the heavy truss roof. The engineer in charge, Dick Wilmot, when he saw the building begin to go over, shut off steam and saved his life by lying down close to the engine. The engine, boilers and dynamos were found to be uninjured, when the debris was moved sway and the cars will be running again to-morrow, as a large force of workmen are engaged in putting up a temporary aguse over the machinery. No other damage

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CIGAR MAKERS' STRIKE.

A Labor Movement which May Become General in New York City.

Special to the Gazette. New York, May 25,-There may be a general strike among the cigar makers of this city. About 1500 men were on a strike last night, and this number will probably be largely increased to-morrow evening. The strikers demand an increase of wages. This demand is based on the claim that their pay has been so largely reduced in the past few pears it is almost impossible to make a living in the trade. In pursuance of a resolution passed at the last convention of the Cigarmakers' Increasional union, committees the been visiting the manufacturers and demand is refused a strike is ordered and the union looks after the welfare of non-union as well as the union workers. At union headquarters yesterday it was said more of the manufacturers had refused to increase and that their men would be called out Monday. Unless the manufacturers come to terms with the union, the chances are that a general strike in the trade will take place. The International union is well organized in the United States and Canada. It has thus far this year won about sixty victories in this city, but heads it a menseal strike take place the unioned is referred. this number will probably be largely increase year won about sixty victories in this city, but should a general strike take place, the union will have its hands full.

Monument to Vice-President Hendricks. INDIANAPOLIS, IND., May 25 .- The 1st of July has been fixed as the date for the unveiling of the monument to the late Vice-President Henthe monument to the late Vice-Fresident Hendricks on the state grounds in this city. The address will be delivered by United States Senator Turple. The prevident, ex-presidents, the vice-president and members of the cabinet and the governors of all the states will be invited to attend. The committee of arrangements extends a cordial invitation to societies, clubs and other organizations of the state and elsewhere to be present and participate in the ceremonies, and also requests the attendance of the general public.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., May 24 .- In the Presbyte rian general assembly (South) to-day the paper touching the proposed place of congress was taken up. It was moved that the minority report of the committee which approves church sction on the paper be adopted instead of the majority report not favoring such action, After considerable discussion the report was adopted.

a held missionary who shall issue for their evangelization.

The report of the committee on revised directory of worship recommends, among other items, that the question of revision be postponed indefinitely, and the striking out of chapter 10 of the revised directory of wor-

ship, The report was adopted. The moderator appointed as additional members of the committee on the revised directory of worship Rev. D. O. Davies of Kentucky and Rev. R. P. Kerr and Rev. W. H. Lacey of Virginia. On the overture from South Athbama asking that the assembly order be stated, the clerk of the assembly to send down to each minister and every member of the assion a copy of the minutes of this meeting or the assembly, the committee recommended that the request be not granted and added a plan of selling the minutes through the stated clerks of the presbyteries. The committees' devotional exercises followed and then the moderator pronounced the benediction, dissolved the assembly and called the mext year's assembly to meet in the First Presbyterian church at Birmingham, in the First Presbyterian church at Birm Ala., on the third Thursday in May.

ADVANCE IN SPIRITS.

The Whisky Trust Increase Their Profits \$10,000 Per Day.

Special to the Gazette. New York, May 25 .- The whisky trust offi. cially made an important announcement yesterday. It was to the effect that on June 1 the price of spirits will be advanced by the trust seven cents a gallon, or from \$1.04%, the present price, to \$1,114. The pronunciamento was not entirely unexpected in the trade, although it was not generally thought the advance would entirely unexpected in the trade, although it was not generally thought the advance would be quite so steep. Ever since the whisky trust managers bought off their two most formidable competitors but two weeks ago the St. Faul distillery company of St. Paul and H. H. Schuefeld company of Chicago it has been generally understood prices would be advanced. The stock of the St. Paul company was purchased by the trust, and a working agreement was made by the trust with the Schuefeldt company. This arrangement removes practically all outside competition to the whisky trust, and leaves them virtual confrol of the market. The trust people, while they admit the advance of 7 conts a gallon will add \$10,000 a day to the profits of the trust, claim they have been selling spirits at very little more than cost for two years past. The trust has been paying a dividend of one-eighth of 1 per cent. a month and 1½ per cent. a year. It is also claimed by the trust the advance in spirits will not affect the retail price, but it will be taken off the profits of the compounder and blender. It is not probable, however, that the trust can control the actions of either the blenders or retailers.

BROKER PELL.

He Spends a Sorrowful Day in the Tombs His Visitors Few-

Special to the Gazette. New York, May 25 .- Broker George Hamilton Pell, convicted of stealing thirty-one \$1000

bonds of the Lenox Hill bank, spent a sorrowful day in the Tombs yesterday. Several friends called on him, but Pell denied himself to all newspaper reporters. One of the first visitors was his faithful wife, who busied herself in securing such small comforts for her husband as the prison discipline allows. Pell does not eat the prison fare, but is supplied from the table of the "official caterer." He is not alone and the room is supplied with a small table, an easy chair, a couple of strips of carpet and a fairly comfortable cot. Newcome and Rollins will move in the supreme court next. Tuesday for stay of proceedings pending an appeal for a new trial. It is understood, however, that the chance for this is quite slim. In case Pell goed to Sing Sing Mrs. Pell will give up her home at Hollis and take a little cottage in the village belienes her husband during his imprisonment. Charles Pell, the broker's elder brother, who is wealthy, will take care of the wife's small fidecome. She is not wealthy, as has been apported. If Pell receives the minimum sentence of sive years, the usual commutation for goed behavior will reduce his term of imprisonments to three years and seven months. in securing such small comforts for her

Johnstown, Pa, Plooded.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., May 25.—A terrific rain storm, accompanied by heavy thunder and lightning, occurred here this afternoon. The righting, occurred the water host rain fell in cheets for about half an hour, ficing the streets, filling the cellars and degreat damage. Bailroad street, in Cambria C is under water, the water being up the first floor in about fifty houses that street. The east-bound track of the P that street. The east-bound track of the Penn-sylvania railroad was covered to the depth of two to three feet by dirt washed down from the hills between Stone Bridge and Morrellsville. The west-bound track was similarly obstructed between Consmaugh and Johnstown. The rivers are rising rapidly, but it is not thought they will do much damage. COMING TO TEXAS.

Special Car Full of Newspaper Men Coming

to Do Up the State-Special to the Gazette.

AREARSAS CITY, KAN., May 25,-Russell 8 Harrison and his party, consisting of Transi G. Palmer, manager; George T. Berr, artist Theron P. Keller, representing the New York Tribune, New York Press, Philadelphia Times Chicago Times and Cincinnati Commercia zette; J. C. Daniels, representing 400 well newspapers; Roy Keater of the Kansas C Times, Omaha Bee, Helena (Mont.) Journal and R. L. Smith of the Boston Herald, art here this morning at 1 o'clock in the Fran Leslie special car "May Plower." They we, Leslie special car "May Plower." They we, mot by the mayor, representatives of the puts and a few other citizens, who escorted then it carriages to the various places of interest seen the city. At 10 clock they returned to the st, where an elegant spread had been prepared it the artist of the culinary department for the party and those whom Mr. Harrison inside it dine with him. At 20 clock they left for Ina. The trip is taken for the purpose of galactic sketchies, photographs and information for party ideals of the purpose of stated in the control of the progress and possibilities of the purpose of a stated in hibition of the progress and possibilities of Texas and the Southwest. The party will be rive at Gaineaville to-morrow.

AS THE TOWNS WEST OF CHICAGO Were and Are to Chicago, So the Towns Hal of Fort Worth Are and Will Be to Fort Worth,

rive at Gainesville to-morrow.

Graham has a population of about \$35; six United States mail lines, county district and United States courts ad offices, five churches, two schools, #1 bank, stores, shops, etc. Now inviting presents for other enterprises. uated in a lovely valley of Salt ore which affords abundant fresh water, is vironed by hills of varied height i outline, adorned with forest grown.
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"Blue," "Gold" and "Frin" memtains. About the base of the latter now the town, on the alternating prairie, oak and elms forest shaled smooth, gently, sloping grounds almost perfect natural circulage, and for position, searcely as choice of it.
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